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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of 35 U.S.C. §371:

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or: PACKAGING BAG WITH STEAM VENTING FUNCTION AND PACKAGE USING THE

PACKAGING BAG

## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Before examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

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## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with <u>strikethrough</u>.

Please REPLACE the TITLE from the International Publication No. WO 2005/009869 and Specification with the following:

--PACKAGING BAG WITH STEAM VENTING FUNCTION AND PACKAGE USING THE PACKAGING BAG--.

Page 1, before line 6, ADD:

--This application claims the benefit of PCT International Application Number PCT/JP2004/010891, filed July 23, 2004 and Japanese Application Nos. 2003-278921, filed July 24, 2003, 2003-362895, filed October 23, 2003, 2003-362896, filed October 23, 2003, 2003-371934, filed October 31, 2003, 2003-377972, filed November 7, 2003, 2004-021359, filed January 29, 2004, 2004-021360, filed January 29, 2004, 2004-131017, filed April 27, 2004, 2004-131018, filed April 27, 2004 in Japan, the disclosures of which are incorporated herein by reference.--